

**SOUTH DAKOTA SYNOD
ROSTERED LAY & OTHERS
AVAILABLE FOR PULPIT SUPPLY
Fall 2026**

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Written authorization for these individuals to administer the Sacraments of Holy Communion and Holy Baptism must be requested of the Bishop of the South Dakota Synod.

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